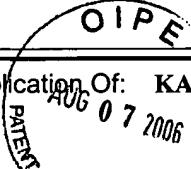


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
 4296-171 US

In Re Application Of: KAKINUMA et al.



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/792,072	March 3, 2004	Anish P. DESAI	26817	1771	4211

Invention: **PRE-APPLIED OUTER LAYER MATERIAL FOR AUTOMOTIVE INTERIOR TRIM AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF AUTOMOTIVE INTERIOR TRIM**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 8, 2006 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: May 8, 2006 until: August 8, 2006
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$1,020** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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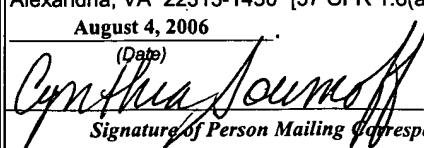
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